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Appln. No.: 09/820,324
Amendment dated March 11, 2004
Reply to Office Action of September 11, 2003

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Pepin et al.

Serial No.: 09/820,324

Filed: March 29, 2001

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR
ENABLING BULK LOADING DATA

Atty. Docket No.: 05026.00002

Group Art Unit: 2175

Examiner: Y. Wu

Confirmation No.: 3124

PETITION FOR EXTENTION OF TIME AND AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This filing of 12 pages (10 page amendment, 1 page request for extension of time, and 1 page fee sheet) are being faxed to 703 872 9306 on March 11, 2004.

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Petition for Extension of Time

Applicants petition for a 3 month extension of time. The assignee is a small entity. The Commissioner is authorized to debit our deposit account no. 19-0733 for \$475 If any additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to debit our account in the appropriate amount.

Amendment

In response to the Office Action mailed September 11, 2003, please amend the instant application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.